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Customer No.: 29190

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

John BORDER

**Reply under 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Application No.: 09/903,780

Filed: July 12, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPROVING
NETWORK PERFORMANCE ENHANCING
PROXY ARCHITECTURE WITH GATEWAY
REDUNDANCY

) Examiner: Abrishamkar, K.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed June 17, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☐ An extension for ___ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- ☒ The fee for claims is calculated below.

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						ADDITIONAL FEE
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	32 -	35 =	0 x	\$ 50.00 =		\$	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 -	5 =	0 x	\$ 200.00 =		\$	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			N (Y/N)	\$ 360.00 =		\$	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:							\$ 0.00

Please charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-1818. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818.

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September 8, 2005
Date

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